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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR §1.56 AND 37 CFR §1.97**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08 are documents known to Applicant in order to comply with Applicant's duty of disclosure pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56. Enclosed for the Examiner's convenience is a copy of the listed foreign documents with English language abstracts. These materials are being submitted to comply with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.97-§1.98.

The citation of any document herewith, is not intended as an admission that such document constitutes prior art against the claims of the present application or is considered to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR §1.56(b). Applicant does not waive any rights to take any action which would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove as a competent reference any document which is determined to be a *prima facie* prior art reference against the claims of the present application.

TIMING/FEE

The instant Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before receipt of a final action under 37 CFR 1.113. Applicant submits herewith the \$180.00 fee set forth in 37 CFR

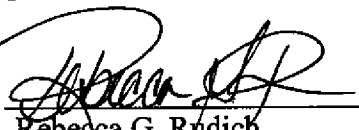
1.17(p) which is being submitted via EFS. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in connection with this fee to Deposit Account No. 22-0259.

CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully requests that the listed document be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the present application and that an initialed copy of Form PTO/SB/08 be returned in accordance with M.P.E.P. §609.

Respectfully submitted,

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